

AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP DEPARTMENT[21]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 159.5, the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 1, “Administration,” and to adopt new Chapter 13, “Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Board—Organization,” Chapter 14, “Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program For Retail Motor Fuel Sites,” Chapter 15, “Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program For Biodiesel Terminal Grants,” and Chapter 16, “Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program Administration,” Iowa Administrative Code.

The proposed amendments carry out the transfer of the rules for the Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Board from the Iowa Department of Economic Development to the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship authorized by 2011 Iowa Acts, Senate File 531, division VII. The Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship will provide for the administration of the related programs for retail motor fuel sites, biodiesel terminal grants, and the renewable fuel infrastructure fund.

Any interested person may make written suggestions or comments on the proposed amendments on or before July 19, 2011. Written comments should be addressed to Margaret Thomson, Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship, Wallace State Office Building, 502 E. 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. Comments may be submitted by fax to (515)281-6236 or E-mail to Margaret.Thomson@IowaAgriculture.gov.

These amendments were also Adopted and Filed Emergency and are published herein as **ARC 9584B**. The content of that submission is incorporated by reference.

The proposed amendments are subject to the Department’s general waiver provision.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs has been found.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code chapters 15G and 159 and 2011 Iowa Acts, Senate File 531.